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  ROLL RESIDUE, STENCIL MAKING SYSTEM AND  
  STENCIL MATERIAL ROLL

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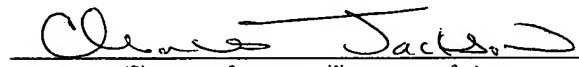
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